

REMARKS

This application has been reviewed in light of the Office Action dated August 26, 2004. Claims 1-39, 49 and 50 remain pending. Claims 40-48 and 51 have been canceled, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter. Favorable reconsideration is requested.

The Office Action required restriction to one of the following inventions:

Group I (Claims 1-39, 49, and 50), directed to the processing of a designated print job associated with the paper output place information, classified in class 358, subclasses 1.9 and 1.13; and

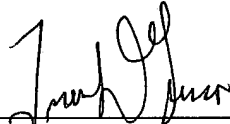
Group II (Claims 40-48 and 51), directed to the information of the processing of a specific job associated with the information of a used printer, classified in class 358, subclass 1.15.

Because an action on the merits for the originally presented invention had been received, the Examiner constructively elected the originally presented invention for prosecution on the merits. Accordingly, Applicant, as noted above, cancels Claims 40-48 and 51, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter.

Accordingly, only claims which are in condition for allowance remain. Applicant respectfully requests the expedited processing of this application, as well as favorable reconsideration and early passage to issue thereof.

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Respectfully submitted,

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